

WEATHER FORECAST
Colder in West; Thursday
Fair, Colder.

Public Ledger

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MARSHAL'S THROAT CUT

Sardis Was the Scene of Great Excitement on Last Saturday Night When W. S. Dyens Cuts Throat of H. L. Kelley.

A great deal of excitement was had in the town of Sardis in the southwestern portion of this county on last Saturday night, when Mr. H. L. Kelley, the marshal of the village, was wounded by W. S. Dyens.

According to a report received at this office Mr. Kelley was standing on the sidewalk in the town talking to another gentleman. Dyens, who was a stranger in the place, came out of a store and addressed a remark to Kelley who answered him. Dyens did not like the answer he received pulling a knife from his pocket made a stab at Kelley. The latter's throat was cut.

Dyens immediately escaped from the town and although a warrant has been secured for his arrest he has not been found up to the present time. He was a total stranger in the town and had been drinking. He was with several other men who assisted in his escape.

Mr. Kelley's condition is not thought to be serious although he was cut in a very dangerous place. The officer had done nothing to incur the enmity of Dyens as far as we could learn. If

the fugitive is caught he will probably get a very stiff sentence.

MR. HENRY RUDY DEAD

A long-distance telephone message last evening to Mrs. J. H. Richardson conveyed the sad news of the sudden death by heart disease of Henry Rudy at his home in Covington yesterday at 12:30 p. m. Mr. Rudy was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Newton C. Rudy who resided on East Forest avenue and was about 47 years of age. Until his removal to Covington he was a valued employee of the old Collins Rudy Lumber Co. of this city. His wife who was Miss Minnie Childers a daughter of the late Rev. W. H. Childers, survives him, also two sons George and Newton. He leaves four sisters and one brother, Mrs. Alvin Wallingford of Detroit, Mrs. D. H. Sears of Cincinnati, Mrs. J. D. Burrows, and Mrs. Thomas Morris of Covington, and Mr. Lane Rudy of Cincinnati. Besides these he leaves a host of relatives in this city. The funeral will occur Thursday afternoon at his late home.

MR. H. SAM TRUE DIES

Mr. H. Sam True of Dover died in a hospital at Louisville on yesterday. Mr. True was one of the most prominent men of this county and was a citizen of Maysville for some time.

PROCRASTINATION

is the art of "putting off," but is more commonly recognized as the thief of time. Many men will say, "No, not now, wait until tomorrow," and tomorrow never comes.

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DEATH SUMMONS

Comes Rather Quickly to Hon. G. W. Adair, the Oldest Member of the Mason County Bar Association —Was a Lawyer for 35 Years.

Hon. G. W. Adair died at his home on West Second street yesterday at 12:10 p. m. after a very short illness. His death was due to congestion of the lungs. Mr. Adair had been in failing health for some time although never confined to his bed. On last Friday he was taken sick but on Saturday morning he went to his office on Market street but soon returned home, he feeling unable to get about. No fears were entertained over his condition until late Sunday night when it was seen that the end was near.

George Washington Adair was born at Lewisburg in this county on September 29, 1844. He was the son of William and Sarah Adair and was a descendant of John Adair, who was governor of Kentucky from 1820 to 1824. When he was about 4 years old his parents removed with him to Lewis county where he lived until he had reached manhood. At the age of 25 he went to Mt. Olivet and began to teach school, later teaching in Murphysville in this county.

In 1881 he began the practice of law in this city, studying under the late Henry Wadsworth. From 1893 to 1896 he held the office of County Attorney. Since that time he had lived in this city where he had a very large practice. Not only in this city and county but in the surrounding section of the country he was known as an able lawyer and as one of his many friends characterized him upon hearing of his death, "He knew his law."

He was married on February 21, 1871, to Miss Sallie Paul, daughter of the late John Paul of Dover, who was one of the pioneer families of this county. To them were born five children, four of whom survive. They are Mrs. Maude Farnsworth of Pasco-goula, Miss., Mr. John P. Adair of Chicago, Mr. Asa Adair of Covington, Ky., and Mr. Robert Adair of this city. He leaves no brothers or sisters, being the last of five children.

He was the oldest member of the Mason County Bar Association, both in the number of years and practice.

Mr. Adair was one of the most sociable men in this city and was a great lover of the young people. He always had a pleasant word for everyone and was characterized by his sunny disposition and kind and welcome words for all. He had a very appreciative eye for the beautiful things in nature and this was shown by his many short poems that were printed from time to time. His writings were simple and contained a beautiful lyrical strain, which made them very distinctive.

Mr. Adair was a man whose friends could almost be counted by the number of his acquaintances. His pleasing personality readily made friends for him and he rarely forgot one that he had met. He was a kind and affectionate husband and father and was a great lover of his home.

The funeral arrangements have not been made awaiting the arrival of his daughter, who will reach this city tonight. The announcement of this will be made in tomorrow's Ledger, although at present time it was thought that the service would be held at 2 o'clock from the home tomorrow afternoon.

SPLENDID FEAST OF MUSIC
It is with genuine pleasure that the Ledger gives space to the Harbeson concert at the High School auditorium last evening. It was a very bad night so that many who would have gone were prevented. To the scores and hundreds that were there a most charming evening was enjoyed. There were three artists heard, Mr. Harbeson, tenor, his sister, Miss Harbeson, soprano, and Miss Florence Barbour at the piano. The program was all too short. Mr. Harbeson has a pure lyrical tenor voice just such a one as we see pictured as lovers of old, sympathetic, sweet descriptive, powerful. Miss Harbeson is as gracious and charming in manner as the Lord has rightly endowed her with a rich soprano voice. Her stage presence is an inspiration and as she soars through the musical scale her hearers are transported to realms of bliss. Miss Barbour at the piano was the splendid foundation for the artists and she played with rare ability. The program was given under the auspices of the Parent-Teacher Association of the First District School and that organization realized quite a neat sum of money.

In remembering your relatives and friends for 1917—The Daily Public Ledger—would prove a most acceptable gift, start with the New Year.

Satin Hats, the newest fad. Mrs. S. A. on East Third street.

MAYSVILLE, KENTUCKY, WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 27, 1916.

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HEAVY SHOWERS NOT SUFFICIENT TO CLEAN THOROUGHLY FARES COMPLETELY

Maysville's official face was washed—though not clean—for the first time in many days, yesterday. Rain which fell heavily late yesterday afternoon and all of last night stood in the streets and removed a great deal of the snow, the ice and the grime, which, for several days, had marred the upturned countenance of the city and has afforded many a jolt to slippery-footed citizens.

It was the first heavy rain since the series of snows began two weeks ago. It fell faster than it could be taken care of for the time. Accompanying it were small calibre lightning flashes which were seen also later at night in the northwest part of the sky.

Why not try a Ledger Want Ad?



A CHRISTMAS SUGGESTION

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We examine your eyes.

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GOOD BYE, CHRISTMAS!

LOOK, FRIENDS!

See Window For
REDUCED PRICES ON FANCY PERFUME IN CHRISTMAS BOTTLES.

All Christmas Goods REDUCED.

M. F. WILLIAMS & COMPANY

The many friends of Mr. P. W. Breen, who is visiting his son, Thomas W., will regret to learn that he is quite ill. He is reported some better this morning.

Misses Cora Wallace and Stella McKinley of Georgetown, Ohio, are visiting Miss Laura Farrow of Walnut Street.

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May the bells of happiness ring merrily for you throughout the coming year.

Sincerely yours,

D. Hechinger & Co.

THE DAY AFTER

Fresh needs arise every day in thousands of homes, and purchases that have been postponed are made after Christmas. Besides, there are many extra attractions for today and the days following—before inventory cleaning off old lots and remnants of desirable winter merchandise, including numerous good things not mentioned in the store news, but easy to find when you come.

These Are Good Muffs To Buy With Xmas Gift Money

Comparison will show you that you are getting the best value for your money, and it is a delight to choose from this collection of moderate priced Muffs at \$2.50 to \$8.50. Children's Fur Sets \$1.98 to \$6.50.

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Evening Slippers For the Ball

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Silver, Black and White

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AFTER THE WAR

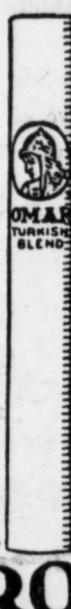
The population of Bridgeport, Conn., was about 100,000 before the war. Today it is 160,000. Bridgeport is one of the great munition centers, which accounts for this 60 per cent increase in population. This addition of 60,000 munition makers to the Bridgeport population means wonderful opportunity for Bridgeport merchants to sell their goods, and the Connecticut farmers to dispose of their products. Therein lies their share of our war order prosperity.

But what is the logical consequence of a cessation of the European war? Bridgeport munition-making activities will practically cease, and many thousands of operatives will be laid off. Shortly thereafter, if the Wilson-Underwood tariff law is to be continued, the Bridgeport manufacturers will encounter the severe competition of an industrially reorganized Europe—every large industry of our European competitors receiving the backing of its government. This must of necessity curtail the operations of the Bridgeport manufacturers, and curtailed operations mean a higher cost of production. A mill operating at 75 per cent capacity can produce nowhere near as cheaply as a mill running at 100 per cent capacity. Finally the wheels will cease to turn and the laborers employed even in normal periods under a protective policy, will be laid off under the present near-free-trade policy. The Bridgeport merchants will be unable to turn over their stocks with profit, and the Connecticut farmers will no longer find Bridgeport a profitable market for their produce.

And the condition which the Democratic tariff law will create in Bridgeport is typical of what may be expected throughout the country under the Democratic tariff policy.

A FARMER ON TARIFF COMMISSION

The National Grange was in session in Washington recently, transacting business and discussing plans for the promotion of the organization throughout the United States. One action taken was the adoption of a resolution asking the President to appoint a practical farmer on the tariff commission. The Grangers made it perfectly plain that they do not care for the appointment of a book farmer or paper-farmer as their representative. They want a man on the commission who owns and operates a farm and knows by personal experience the problems the farmer must meet.

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OMAROMAR

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for
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The American Tobacco Co.



THIS IS THE FIRST SUMMER I'VE EVER SPENT AT A BOARDING HOUSE, I USUALLY STAY AT SOME SWELL HOTEL WHERE THERE'S DANCING AND SO FORTH—I'VE ALWAYS SHINED AT A PLACE LIKE THAT!



BUT THIS IS HOW HE DID IT

H 196

ONE DEAD, FOUR WOUNDED IN GIRL ORPHANED AS HER FATHER
DIES IN BARN

Danville, Ky., December 25—William Benedict, Sr., was shot and instantly killed, four other persons were wounded, and many suffered minor injuries in a gun fight at the Christmas tree celebration of the Harris Creek School, near the Lincoln-Casey County line, eight miles south of Danville, today.

The injured were George Thornton, shot in leg; William Benedict, Jr., son of the dead man, shot in ankle; Bourbon Galloway, son of Marion Galloway, shot in right arm, and Mike Gads, shot in leg.

The school children had gathered at the school house for their annual Christmas tree celebration, given by Miss Minell Prewitt, of Moreland, teacher. The building was packed with children and visitors.

A disturbance was created by Thomas Thornton, who, it is alleged, had been drinking. When Benedict rose and asked that order be restored, it is said that George Thornton, a brother of Thomas, left the building and returned with a revolver. A general shooting followed and five bullets took effect in Benedict's body.

It is not known who fired the first shot. People ducked between the seats, fell to the floor, and jumped through the windows and doors to escape the bullets and a number received cuts and bruises in escaping.

All the participants had been on good terms previously as neighbors and there had been no bad blood between any of them so far as could be determined.

OBERAMMERGAU'S CHRIST LOOKS
TO U. S. FOR PEACE

Oberammergau, December 25—This is a sad Christmas for Oberammergau, the little Bavarian town made famous by its Passion Play.

Anton Lang, the world's famous peasant, who plays the part of Christ, regards the future darkly, unless America shall bring back to the world that peace and good will now well-nigh lost in the bitterness of the greatest war.

"My Christmas message to America," he said, "is my fervent hope that she will do something to bring about peace. I hope and pray the peace of which Christ preached—'peace on earth, good will to men'—will be brought to Europe through America. It would be the finest Christmas gift to the world."

Lang is a medium-sized man, a wood carver, with a long beard. He is slightly bald and has blue eyes, with features that typify the conception of Christ. When I talked to him he wore the uniform of the Red Cross.

"As long as people are selfish and unsatisfied, though they have everything, and until they follow Christ's example, then there will be war," Lang declared: "I see another spring of fighting, with blood flowing like a swollen mountain stream."

Through the window of Lang's modest cottage the snow-covered roofs of adjacent houses and mountains were visible. Every feature made one think of the Bethlehem of ages ago.

BOY KILLED BY SISTER, PLAYING
WITH PISTOL

Georgetown, Ky., December 25—John Thomas Allen, a boy of seven, whose father is a tenant on the Kirtley Shropshire farm was instantly killed Monday by his half-sister, Ross Belle Brack, aged 17, while playing with an old pistol.

The revolver had been empty and it is thought the lad put in the cartridge which caused his death.

Kerosene, coal or wood can be burned in a new kitchen range that is intended for both summer and winter use.

License Notice!

ALL LICENSES EXPIRE DECEMBER 31 and become due on January 1, of each year, as follows, with penalty of 10 per cent after February 1, 1916, attached for non-compliance.

All who require a license and fail to take them out before February 1, will be prosecuted for doing business without a license.

Dogs.....	1.00
Actioneers.....	5.00
Billiard, Pool and Pigeon-hole Tables.....	95.00
Billiard and Tennis Alleys.....	95.00
Shortening, Candles, etc.....	10.00
All Life Insurance, Industrial or other with Premiums.....	50.00
Each registered Office, Hotel.....	1.00
All Accident Insurance Companies.....	10.00
Fire Insurance, for each Company.....	10.00
State Glass Insurance Agents.....	30.00
Tourist Agents.....	25.00
Circus and Menageries, per day.....	25.00
Lectures, Operas, Concerts and plays.....	3.00
Open-houses.....	100.00
Business Dances, per year.....	5.00
Dances per night.....	10.00
Skating Rinks, per month.....	10.00
Four-gymnastic, per day.....	2.00
Menageries, soft drink stands.....	5.00
Agent for wholesale of Near Beer.....	50.00
Retail of bottled pops.....	5.00
Four-footed soft drink stands.....	25.00
Retail Near Beer.....	300.00
Itinerant Peddlers, temporary residents, per day.....	25.00
Itinerant from one-horse wagon.....	25.00
Peddler from one-horse wagon.....	25.00
Foot Peddler, \$1 or less, per day.....	25.00
Foot Peddler, \$1 or less, per day, with other articles, per day.....	25.00
Petroleum, selling from one-horse wagon.....	25.00
One-horse wagon.....	3.00
Four-horse wagon.....	3.00
Astrologers and Fortune Tellers, per day.....	5.00
Hill Posters.....	1.00
Bill Posters, per day.....	1.00
Bill Posters, per month.....	10.00
Junk Sh. P's.....	10.00
Launderies.....	25.00
Laundries, per month.....	10.00
Lunch Stands.....	10.00
Pistols.....	5.00
Playing Cards.....	10.00
Artificial Color Pictures, Explosives, C's, any explosive, toy contrivances, auto, per box, Caps, Cannon Crackers in round three inches long.....	25.00
Second-hand Stores.....	100.00
Owners of drays, carts and wagons are required by law to tack the tags on all vehicles so licensed. This law will be strictly enforced.	25.00
J. WESLEY LEE, Mayor.	100.00

Brokers.....
Booksellers, selling unprinted books, per day.....
Coal merchants, per year.....
Moving picture theaters, per month.....
Cigars.....
Gum-chewing houses.....
Hotels, under \$1 per day, per annum.....
Hotels, under \$1.50 per day, per annum.....
Hotels, under \$1.50 per day, per annum.....
Junk Sh. P's.....
Laundries.....
Livery Stables.....
Lunch Stands.....
Pistols.....
Playing Cards.....
Printers, Agents.....
Restaurants.....
Stallions for breeding.....
Scales on private property for compensation
Scales upon streets.....
Wharfs.....
Antique Cigar Pictures, Explosives, C's, any
explosive, toy contrivances, auto, per
box, Caps, Cannon Crackers in round
three inches long.....

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Regardless of ownership.
To secure the highest prices is our aim.
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NEW PRICES AUGUST 1, 1916

The following prices for Ford cars will be effective
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Chassis.....	\$325.00
Runabout.....	345.00
Touring Car.....	360.00
Coupelet.....	505.00
Town Car.....	595.00
Sedan.....	645.00
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These prices are positively guaranteed against any
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against an advance in price at any time.

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TOMATOES

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The "KY" Tomatoes are packed
whole, perfectly clean and ripe

"KY" Tomatoes have
stood the test M. C.
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NEW REVOLUTION NIPPED

EAST TRAIN DERAILLED AS IT CRASHES OVER MAN

San Antonio, Texas, December 25—Authorities believe they have nipped in the bud a new Mexican revolutionary attempt here in the arrest of five members of a gang of Mexicans who terrorized this section of Texas last summer. The men were taken into custody as a direct result of the killing of W. A. Slocum, near here. He came to San Antonio recently from New York and was a merchant. Sheriff Tobin and his deputies made the arrests.

Danville, Ky., December 25—Q. & C. Royal Palm train, leaving Lexington at 9:20 o'clock this morning, was derailed about ten miles south of Danville today. An investigation of the cause of the accident resulted in the discovery of the body of Virgil Gooch, a farmer, 35 years old, ground to pieces on the track. It is believed that the train struck him before leaving the track. None of the passengers was injured.

For Christmas
Eureka Cleaner.
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CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS—MARKET CLOSES THURSDAY, DECEMBER 21; OPENS THURSDAY, DECEMBER 28, 1916.

AS USUAL--WE LEAD!

The Maysville Market since opening has averaged \$16.27 per hundred. Farmers and Planters Warehouse since opening has averaged \$16.47 per hundred.

Some specials:

J. N. MIMS, Mason County	Average \$20.57
JOE BLEVINS, Greenup County	Average 19.98
OWENS & REES, Mason County	Average 19.58
DEMING & ORME, Robertson County	Average 19.44
BRUCE HARRISON, Lewis County	Average 18.26

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ALE. FORBES, Auctioneer.



A CHRISTMAS ORNAMENT
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London Pulpit Abuses Wilson

Wrong Note Sent "In Fit of Mental Aberration" Dean of Westminster Charges—Ridicule Employed—President's Suggestions Referred to as "Black and Vile."

London, December 25—The dean of Westminster, the Rt. Rev. Herbert Edward Ryle, preaching in the Abbey today said:

"It is our resolve, God helping us, to overthrow military brigandage in Europe, to rescue the liberties and homes of the desolate countries, to obtain for these people reparation for their wrong, and for humanity lasting security against a recurrence of aggression, violence of crime.

"It is true that the President of the United States, after two years of study of the question and innumerable notes, seems to believe that the objects of the two groups of belligerents is the same. He knows that Germany refused arbitration, declined to conference and rejected every overture to prevent war. He knows that his own countrymen have poured money like water to assist the destitute and outraged remnants of the little Belgian people, whose treaty rights were violated and whose frontiers were invaded before war was declared. He knows of the infractions of The Hague conventions which the American people have studiously promoted.

"He knows all the details of the organized atrocities reported upon its strict inquiries. He knows of the sinking of unarmed passenger ships like the Lusitania and Arabia without protest or warning. He knows of the murder of Captain Fryatt, of the nocturnal deportation of Belgians and French into slavery. He knows of German connivance of Armenian massacres and this evil demoniacs of national militarism, have the same aim in view as the perpetrators of these historic crimes.

"President Wilson has either in a fit of mental aberration sent the wrong note or he has entirely misapprehended the European situation."

"These things are black and vile. The very thought of them on Christmas day makes one shudder. Does anyone suppose that peace would be honorable which regarded the assailants and defenders of humanity as having in view the same end? What kind of unity of aim could you expect between wool and sheep dogs over the fleeces of torn lambs?

"Peace on the basis of much hypothesis would be only an armistice given an exhausted foe, a much-needed interval for recuperation before renewing his insatiable passion for the hegemony of the world and the destruction of his rival with a savage war."

EDUCATION ATTAINED BY STUDENT LABOR AT BEREAL COLLEGE

Berea, Ky., December 25—Student labor as a means toward securing an education in the past year has attained record proportions in Berea College, according to the report of Treasurer Thomas J. Osborne. Of the 1,686 students enrolled at Berea, considerably more than half earned a large part of their expenses by student labor. The total sum earned in this manner was more than \$40,000, exclusive of vacation earnings, which is \$8,000 more than in any previous year.

Both boys and girls participated in the work, and some of the more novel sources of revenue included laundry work, janitor service in the school buildings, printing, woodwork and waitressing on table. Farming was the most popular form of student labor, waitressing on table second, gardening was third in the number enrolled and janitor service, woodwork and laundering ranked next.

Although student labor has enabled this large number of boys and girls from the southern mountain country to secure an education, President Frost expresses regret that the college is not in a position to give greater aid. He says that in the past year they were able to give only \$3,461 for student aid, although about \$7,000 was distributed as student loans, no single gift or loan amounting to more than \$40. Berea probably is the least expensive school in the country, the expenses, excluding clothing, amounting to only \$100 a year. The enrollment last year numbered 1,110 men and 557 women.

Clamps easily attached to any bedstead have been invented to keep the coverings from being pulled away from a sleeper's feet.

Electrically heated pads feature a new English cure for frost bitten feet.

German electricians who experienced decided that they obtained better results by placing the carbons in arc lamps horizontally and one slightly below the other.

SIGNALS OF DISTRESS

Maysville People Should Know How to Read and Hear Them.

Disordered kidneys give many signals of distress.

The secretions may be dark, contain sediment.

Passages are sometimes frequent, scaly, painful.

Backache is often present day and night.

Headaches and dizzy spells may occur.

Weakened kidneys should receive quick help.

Don't delay! Use a special kidney remedy.

Doan's Kidney Pills are for weak kidneys, backache and urinary disorders.

Maysville evidence proves their worth.

J. A. Burns, retired farmer, 707 E. Third St., Maysville, says: "About four years ago, I suffered from an attack of kidney trouble. My back was very weak and lame and the kidney secretions passed too frequently, especially at night and I was compelled to arise several times on that account. I had often heard and read about Doan's Kidney Pills and got a box at Weller & Sons' Drug Store. They helped me and I continued taking them until entirely cured of kidney trouble."

Mr. Burns is only one of many Maysville people who have gratefully endorsed Doan's Kidney Pills. If your back aches—it your kidneys bother you, don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—ask distinctly for DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS, the same that cured Mr. Burns—the remedy backed by home testimony. 50c all stores. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y. "When Your Back is Lame—Remember the Name."

THE SEASON'S GREETINGS

As we are about to pass into a new year, we wish to extend our thanks and greetings of the holiday season to our many friends everywhere.

We have always tried to do our part in seeing that our business was conducted in the proper way to merit the confidence of the people of Mason and surrounding counties, and that we have succeeded is attested to by the large volume of business which we handle and by the many satisfied customers who appreciate Traxel "service" and Traxel "quality."

Again we say, "Greetings."

TRAXEL'S "The House of Quality"

You save money on rubber footwear with the RED BALL

You save because you get more comfort and more actual days of wear and service than from any other footwear you can buy. Rubber boots, arctics, knit boots—"Ball-Band" quality is always the highest. That is why we recommend it and sell it. Get the kind with the Red Ball. You'll find it on all "Ball-Band" footwear.



J. J. DUNCAN
MAYSVILLE, KY.

NOTICE TO TELEPHONE SUBSCRIBERS

In accordance with agreement with City Council rental for telephone service from July 1st, to December 31, 1916, will be at same rates as was paid by subscribers prior to July 1st.

All subscribers who have not paid their rental accounts will be entitled to the discount if paid on or before December 15th, 1916. Those subscribers who have paid will receive credit for the overpayment on their January bill.

Please pay accounts promptly and take advantage of the discount.

Maysville Telephone Co.
(Incorporated.)

JOHN W. YERKERS SERIOUSLY ILL

Danville, Ky., December 25—John W. Yerkers, prominent in Kentucky politics of the Republicans, and one time candidate for Republican Governor of the State, is seriously ill at his home here, with two nurses in attendance. Mr. Yerkers was formerly Com-

missioner of Internal Revenue at Washington and only recently moved here from Washington.

A new lighthouse, known as the Cape St. Elias Light station, has been placed in commission on the coast of Alaska. This is a most important aid to shipping on Prince William sound and Cook inlet.

PLYMOUTH COAL

We have a barge of Plymouth Coal at our yard, 419 East Second street. It is a good burner and will hold fire over night. Honest weight and fair treatment. Our motto—"Yours For Business."

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Phone 337.

THE MOST
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Coca-Cola
AT ALL GROCERY STORES,
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The tailoring you can depend upon because the shapeliness is there to stay, built in the clothes—not pressed in.

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Dry Cleaning Called For and Delivered.

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FOR SALE!

5 Passenger "Reo" Auto used very little—run only forty-eight hundred miles. Electric lights, self-starter and all modern up to date equipments.

Cost \$1265.

½ PRICE

Small Farm
For Sale

We have for sale a farm of 49 acres located on turnpike, has on it 5-room house, tobacco barn, corn crib, and usual outbuildings. Farm is all in grass, and is all limestone land. Owners reason for selling is he wants larger farm. There isn't a cheaper farm in the county than this farm at the price asked, \$70.00 per acre.

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REAL ESTATE
AND
LOAN AGENT
Farmers & Traders Bank Building
Maysville, Ky.

RAILROAD TIME TABLES

L & N Louisville & Nashville RAILROAD

No. 11 departs 5:35 a. m., daily except Sunday.
No. 9 departs 1:00 p. m., daily except Sunday.
No. 19 departs 3:40 p. m., daily.
No. 10 arrives 9:50 a. m., daily except Sunday.
No. 18 arrives 2:05 p. m., daily.
No. 14 arrives 8:30 p. m., daily except Sunday.
No. 16 arrives 7:30 a. m., daily except Sunday.
No. 17 departs 7:50 a. m., daily except Sunday.
Schedule effective Sunday, May 28, subject to change without notice.
H. S. ELLIS, Agent.

Chesapeake & Ohio Ry.

Schedule subject to change without notice.

Schedule effective December 10, 1916.
EAST BOUND—
No. 6—9:35 a. m.
No. 8—9:48 a. m.
No. 2—1:45 p. m.
No. 16—5:35 p. m.
No. 18—8:05 p. m.
No. 4—10:45 p. m.
WEST BOUND—
No. 19—5:25 a. m.
No. 6—6:25 a. m.
No. 17—9:20 a. m.
No. 1—9:55 a. m.
No. 3—3:30 p. m.
No. 7—4:41 p. m.
W. W. WIKOFF, Agent.

THIS IS THE DAY
OF DRY CLEANING
The way we transform furs to seeming newness is a triumph. Our process speaks for itself in the results it attains. Don't discard costly furs. Let us render them flawless for you. Our prices are no obstacle, believe us.

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\$10.00 \$12.50
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CHRISTMAS TREE

At the City Mission on Monday Night For the Sunday School of That Organization Was a Great Success.

The poor of this city certainly had their share of the Christmas joys this year and certainly there was no excuse for an empty stocking of any child whose parents were unable to see Santa Claus. And even following the Christmas morning the good times continued for the unfortunate ones, as the City Mission gave a Christmas tree to the Sunday School within that organization.

The Mission home was brilliantly lighted on Christmas night and the tree certainly was well decorated and looked very beautiful. At an early hour the members of the Sunday School began to assemble in the Mission and at the time set almost 200 people were in the room. A delightful program was carried out by the members of the Sunday School and others. Miss Cornelia Jones, teacher of elocution in this city, gave a splendid reading before the audience.

Following the program a treat was given to the members of the Sunday School, candy and nuts and small gifts for the younger members of the Sunday School. A total of 150 persons received a treat and 100 were given the gifts.

The entertainment was made a success through the efforts of the City Mission Superintendent, Mrs. Cora E. Peddicord. Mrs. Peddicord has been very successful in handling the work of the Mission and has proven time and again that she is entirely in harmony with the work. Her work has always been for the good of the Mission and especially her labors at this Christmas time have done much toward alleviating suffering among the poor of the city.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

The engagement has been announced of Mr. Ross Owens, the popular clerk of D. Hechinger & Co., to Miss Mary E. Peed of West Third street, daughter of Mrs. Mary C. Peed. The marriage will take place at an early date.

FARM FOR SALE

Situated five miles East of Maysville on Burtonville pike, known as part of the Hotze farm. 92 acres, one big tobacco barn, new five-room house and necessary outbuildings. If sold at once this farm can be purchased at \$55 an acre.

W. K. HOTZE,
Springdale, Ky.

Begin the New Year right—give your insides a thorough cleaning, washing, purifying. Protect them against the coming year's sickness and disease. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea cleans the stomach, bowels and kidneys as soap and water does the face—makes you feel like new all over. Without fail; try it. J. J. Wood & Son.

Mr. Samuel Alper and Miss Esther Fischer of this city attended the wedding of a cousin of the former at Louisville yesterday. The parties married were Mr. Louis Hellman and Miss Elma Roff.

The rainfall of yesterday afternoon and last night as recorded by the Government instrument at the home of Mrs. Mary D. Marsh was 1.18 inches. This was a very large fall.

The automobile driven by Dr. L. Brand, was somewhat damaged Tuesday evening about 6 o'clock by coming in contact with a street car on Bridge street.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Davidson and daughter, Adelaide, of Point au View, are visiting her sister, Mrs. D. Q. Garner of Ft. Thomas, Ky.

Mrs. Margaret Redmond of Lime-stone street is confined to her home with a slight illness.

"THE OLD WILLOW TREE"
 Last Poem Written by the Late G. W. Adair Telling of His Final Visit to His Old Childhood Home.

It waves in loveliness close by the door
 Where my little lips lisped their accents of yore,
 Where my little brother played and a mother's hand bound
 The wreath on his forehead that loved to be crowned.
 It stands in its pride by moss verdured well
 Where the rainbow-hued water drops musically fell
 While the accents of childhood's dis-passionate glee
 Rang up through the leaves of that old willow tree.

It spread its broad branches far out over the spot
 Which saw us assembled each eve in our cot,
 Where the eyes of affection devotedly met
 And kind words were spoken, I ne'er can forget.

Neath its sheltering arms in the soft summer air
 Rose softly and sweetly our voices in prayer,
 And hushed as a breeze over a calm summer sea
 Rose our words through the leaves of the old willow tree.

I saw my sweet sister go forth in her pride,
 Her beautiful cheek bore the blush of a bride;
 Her eyes bright with pleasure her rosy lips smiled:
 As a mother's fond blessing there hallowed her child.

I saw that lip sadden, that eye drop a tear
 As the parting from home and its loved drew near,
 But the birds and the branches with voices of glee
 Filled with music the leaves of the old willow tree.

I saw my brave brother become a proud man
 Of a lofty purpose and insolute plan;
 I saw him launch forth on the waves of the world

Like a stem from the parent tree ruthlessly hurled;

I saw him borne back all his high hopes at rest
 With the pulseless young heart that lay cold in his breast.

I remember his last words were spoken to me
 'Neath the listening leaves of the old willow tree.

From 10:30 till 11 refreshments will be served.

From 11 till 11:30 two short addresses will be given, one on "The Inefficiency of a Divided Church," the other on "The Advantages to be Gained from Organic Union."

At 11:30 the congregation will reassemble in the main auditorium for an old-fashioned Love Feast such as used to be frequent in Methodist church. The closing moments of the Old Year will be used for a service of consecration.

While this service will be of social interest to all Methodists, all members of other churches and the public in general are cordially invited to attend. No better place could be found in which to see the Old Year out.

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RINGGOLD LODGE I. O. O. F.

Regular weekly meeting of Ringgold Lodge No. 27 I. O. O. F. tonight at 7 o'clock. All members urged to be present.

WILLIAM E. SMITH, N. G.

Simon Nelson, Secretary.

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G. A. Helmer, Secretary.

R. P. O. ELKS MEETING

Regular meeting of the B. P. O. Elks this evening at 7 o'clock. A full attendance desired.

DR. J. A. DODSON, E. R.

W. R. SMITH, Secretary.

PRAYER MEETING

Prayer meeting will be held to-night at the Central Presbyterian Church at 7 o'clock.

WATCH NIGHT

Union Service of the Third Street M. E. Church and the First M. E. Church, South, Will Be Held in the Former Place of Worship on Next Sunday.

The Commissioners representing the two great branches of Methodism who are to meet on Thursday the 28th, at the First Methodist Episcopal Church, in the city of Baltimore, to discuss the great problem of organic union of all Methodist churches, has sent out an appeal for all Methodist churches to observe Sunday, the 31st, with special services, and that where ever possible joint Watch Night services be held with the two churches uniting. The days that these Commissioners are in session will be momentous ones for the cause of Methodism and the Christian religion, therefore the call is for prayer that the divided church may again be united.

Revs. W. B. Campbell and S. K. Hunt, pastors respectively of the First M. E. Church, South, and the Third Street M. E. Church, had planned to hold such a service in the First M. E. Church, South, but as Rev. Campbell will be absent from the city next Sunday, Rev. Hunt and the Official Board of the Third Street Church have arranged to hold such a service. They cordially invite especially the members of the Southern church to unite and have a part in this service. It is hoped that every member of the two churches will be present in this service. Much can be accomplished by coming together in prayer. While the program has not been completed, the following will be the order of the services:

The Epworth League will hold its service from 7:30 till 8:30 with Mr. Frank Nash as leader. The topic for this service is "Beginning All Over Again."

From 8:30 till 10 a church service will be held at which Rev. Hunt will preach on "The Spirit of Methodism."

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MARRIAGES

Lancaster-Mitchell

Mr. Joseph Mitchell and Miss Gertrude Lancaster, both of this city, were married yesterday by Rev. A. F. Stahl.

Stephens-Poe

Mr. Gordon M. Poe of Covington, and Miss Roberta Stephens of this city were married at the Christian Church parsonage yesterday at noon by Rev. A. F. Stahl. The marriage comes as somewhat of a surprise to the many friends of the couple although they had been going together for some time. Miss Stephens is the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roe Stephens of Commerce street and is a very well liked young lady. Mr. Poe is an employee of the C. & O. Railroad at Covington. After a short wedding trip through Central Kentucky they will go to Covington to make their future home.

Twenty-five (25) Mutual Movie Stamps, pasted on a card furnished by the Ledger or any merchant will admit to any five cent theater. Two cards will be accepted by all leading grocermen.

Each card when filled with 25 Mutual Movie Stamps will be accepted by Merchants who hand the stamp as five cents postage.

A catalog of handsome and useful presents will be mailed to you by the Mutual Movie Stamp Co., of Cincinnati, Ohio, on receipt of 4 cents postage.

CHARITY BALL

The Charity Ball to be given Thursday evening in the Asylum of Maysville Commandery No. 10 K. T. promises to be a most successful affair.

The sale of tickets at this time is unusually large. Those desiring to attend and desiring information can obtain same by calling Mr. W. W. Ball, Jr., at State National Bank.

HAD EXCELLENT PARTY

At her home on East Fourth street on Christmas day Mrs. Hannah F. Curran entertained her sons, Messrs. William and Thomas B. of Cincinnati, and Hal, Arthur and Charles and Col. Thomas A. Respass of this city with a Christmas dinner. The combined ages of the seven persons present was 451 years.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

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FOR RENT—Four-room brick house; water and light. Apply at 405 East Front street.

FOR RENT—Three furnished rooms for man and wife. Phone 630.

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FOR SALE—Moore's Air Tight Coal Heater, in good condition. Mrs. J. D. Muse, 36 E. Third street.

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WANTED—An experienced cook for Hayswood Hospital.

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Manicure Sets at 10 per cent above cost. Combs, Brushes, Cigars, etc., for Xmas Gifts.

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